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PATENT APPLICATION

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:	)	
	:	Examiner: A. Jamal
NOBUHIRO IKEDA	)	
	:	Group Art Unit: 2614
Application No.: 09/977,701	)	
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Filed: October 16, 2001	)	
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For: CENTRAL MANAGEMENT	)	
SYSTEM FOR PERIPHERAL	:	
APPARATUS	)	September 6, 2007

Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

PETITION UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a)

Sir:

Applicant petitions the Commissioner for Patents to extend the time for response to the Office Action dated May 31, 2007 for one month from August 31, 2007 to September 30, 2007.

The commissioner is hereby authorized to charge \$120.00 for the extension fee under 37 C.F.R. §1.17 to Deposit Account 50-3939. Any deficiency in or overpayment of this fee should also be charged or credited to Deposit Account 50-3939.

Applicant's undersigned attorney may be reached in our Costa Mesa, California office by telephone at (714) 540-8700. All correspondence should continue to be directed to our address given below.

Respectfully submitted,

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